5. The essay should not exceed 10,000 words in length.

6. The essay should be forwarded to the Registrar, University of Mysore, on or before 30th June 1945.

7. The University reserves the right to withhold the award of the prize in the event of there being no essay of sufficient merit.

939 D. S. GORDON, *Registrar.*

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Mysore Public Examinations.

Notification dated 19th March 1945.

No. D. 63—L. E. 65—44-45. *Reference*:—This Office Notification No. D. 44. L. E. 58 of 44-45, publishing the dates of commencement of the Several Public Examinations of 1945 and stating therein (on page 3 Note 5 under Middle School and Upper Primary Examinations) that the Centres where the Examination is Music (Practical Part) offered as an optional subject will be held would be notified later on.

The Examination in Music offered as an Optional subject for the Middle School and Upper Primary Examinations of 1945, will be conducted in the following places. Such of the candidates as have chosen centres other than those mentioned below are directed to select any one of the following centres which is nearest to their residence. The examination in Music will commence on Monday the 9th April 1945. The time of commencement of the examination and the date on which individual candidates have to take their examination will be indicated in the Admission Tickets to be issued to the candidates shortly.

Centres for the Examination in Music.

1 Vani Vilas Institute, Bangalore	10 Nanjangud
2 Girls' High School, Malleswaram	11 Maniya
3 Channapatna	12 Serangapatam
4 Doddaballapur	13 Hassan
5 Kolar	14 Arsikere
6 Tumkur	15 Shimoga
7 Madhugiri	16 Chitaldrug
8 Tiptur	17 Davangere
9 Maharani's High School, Mysore	

948 M. SULTAN MOHIYUDDIN, *Director.*

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, BANGALORE.

DRAFT CIRCULAR.

Dated 8th February—8th March 1945.

To

All the Deputy Commissioners.

SIR,

No. 599. IV- . Adverting to G. O. No. L. 19524-55—V. P. 32-43-43, dated 19th June 1944, issuing revised instructions for the execution and maintenance of Inter-village Communications, the following subsidiary instructions are issued in regard to accounting for the transactions under the head

Receipts.—The receipts under the head generally comprise the grants from State Funds sanctioned by Government and allotted by Districts and the contributions from the Village Panchayets. The Treasuries will credit all the receipts to the head "Inter-village Communications Fund" opened in the Treasury accounts and submit the relative schedules along with the concerned chellans to the Audit Office along with the monthly accounts.

Expenditure—The expenditure will usually fall under (i) Establishment, (ii) T. A., and (iii) Works outlay. Items (i) and (ii) will be drawn in the usual way as in other cases and charged to the head "Inter-village Communications Fund" noting the head in bold letters on the top of the bills.

(iii) *Works Expenditure*—(*a*) *Estimates.*—There should be a regularly sanctioned estimate for each work undertaken for execution, sanctions the etc being accorded by the various authorities empowered to do so to the limits fixed in para 4 of the Government Order quoted above. A list of sanctions to the estimates sanctioned by the Revenue Sub-Division Officers and those sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner may be sent through the Revenue Commissioner so as to reach the Audit Office in the first week of the following month. A similar list of estimates sanctioned by the Revenue Commissioner has also to be sent by that officer in whose return the sanctions by Government have to be included showing the latter distinctly and separately.

(*a*) *Execution of Works.*—The execution of works, formation, improvements and maintenance works, will be carried out by the Revenue Department, in accordance with the instructions issued in para 2 (i) to (v) of the Government order referred to above. While letting out contracts, especially in the case of works costing more than Rs. 500 tender system has to be followed, the powers of acceptance of tenders being the same as the powers to sanction the estimates. In the case of works entrusted to contractors, regular agreements are to be obtained specifying the conditions necessary to safeguard Government against loss and recorded before works are permitted to be started. A register of such agreements entered into is to be maintained in the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

(*c*) *Forms of Bills for payments to contractors.*—Works done by the contractors or other agency will be duly measured and recorded in a measurement book by the subordinates in charge and billed for in bill forms adopted in the P.W.D. for road works with bold printing at the top "Payable at Treasury" and also head of account "Inter-village Communication Fund" printed conspicuously as in the case of bill forms for Rural Water Supply Fund Works.

The measurements of each bill have to be check measured by the Amildar before payment and after such check and scrutiny with reference to sanctioned estimate the bill will be passed by the Deputy Commissioner for payment at the Treasury which will make payment after obtaining necessary acknowledgment of the party on the bill.

The rules obtaining in the P. W. Accounts Code regarding preparation of bill, check measurements and payments and record of progress on works, etc, will have to be scrupulously followed except that payment will be authorised on the bill instead of on a pass order in P. W. D.

(*d*) *Maintenance of Accounts.*—The Deputy Commissioner as a drawer will maintain in his office necessary registers and accounts in respect of these transactions such as register of measurement books, register of sanctions to estimates, register of agreements, register of works, register of contributions recoverable from Village Panchayets, etc. The Deputy Commissioner will send monthly to the Audit Office by 10th of the following month a plus and minus memo of the fund account, a list of works completed (a nil statement being sent when no works are completed) in the form prescribed for Rural Water Supply Works in this Office Circular No. 286—B. II, dated 26th November 1938. A half-yearly progress report on works in progress may be prepared in duplicate and one copy sent to Audit Office, the other being sent to the Revenue Commissioner for his information as prescribed in para 9 of G. O. of 19th June 1944.

7472 M. SHAMANNA, *Comptroller.*

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER, USED MOTOR VEHICLES AND INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Dated 8th March 1945.

No. TC. 70—44-45. Order under Section 3 (1) of the Mysore Used Motor Vehicles Control Order, 1944:—

The following are appointed to be Recognised Dealers in motor vehicles in the Mysore State for the purposes of the said Order;—

1. Messrs. The Union Automobile Works, Old Mysore Bank Road, Mysore.
2. Mr. R. K. Murthy, Auto General Service Station, 30, Sri Narasimharaja Road, Bangalore City.

7274 S. NARAYANA RAO, *I. G. of Police & Contr.*

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

(DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SUPPLIES.)

Notification dated 13th March 1945.

No. T3. 43—44. In pursuance of sub-clause (b) of Clause 4 of the Cotton Cloth and Yarn (Control) Order, 1943, I hereby direct that the wholesale price of any cloth to which the Notification of the Additional Textile Commissioner No. T3—43-44, dated 4th July 1944, applies shall not exceed—

(1) three per cent, above the *ex factory* price thereof where the cloth is sold by a person who purchased it, directly from a manufacturer;

(2) three per cent above the *ex-factory* price thereof where the cloth is sold by a dealer carrying on business in one zone to a dealer carrying on business in a different zone;

(3) ten per cent above the *ex factory* price thereof in other cases.

Explanation.—For the purpose of this notification, the ex-factory price of any cloth means the maximum *ex-factory* price thereof under the Notification of the Additional Textile Commissioner No T3—43-44, dated 4th July 1944 or the contract ex-factory price actually paid, whichever is less; "Zone"